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SUBJ: BERN CONVENTION OF ENDANGERED SPECIES - CONFUSION ON
U.S. SUBMISSION ON FIN AND FEI WHALES

1. DR. ROBERT BOWDEN, DEPUTY DIRECTOR, AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE SERVICE (ANPWS) HAS ASKED EMBASSY FOR CLARIFICATION ON PROPOSED U.S. INSERTION UNDER APPENDIX I OF BERN CONVENTION OF FIN AND FEI WHALES.
2. PROBLEM INVOLVES EXCLUSIONS MENTIONED UNDER FOOTNOTES 102 AND 103 AS RECEIVED FROM BERN SECRETARIAT. ACCORDING TO BOWDEN, EXCLUSION LISTED FOR THESE SPECIES APPEAR REVERSED FROM EXCLUSIONS MENTIONED BY USG SUBMISSION OF SIX MONTHS OR SO AGO, I.E., THE EXCLUSION THEN LISTED FOR FIN WHALES ARE NOW LISTED FOR FEI WHALE AND VICE VERSA.
3. BOWDEN WONDERS IF PROBLEM CAUSED BY TRANSPOSITION OF FOOTNOTES BY SECRETARIAT IN MOST RECENT SUBMISSION, OR IF ORIGINAL SUBMISSION WAS IN ERROR AND MOST RECENT ONE IS CORRECT.
4. AS ANPWS MUST MAKE COMMENT TO BERN SECRETARIAT BY FEBRUARY 1, DEPARTMENT AND NOAA CLARIFICATION NEEDED URGENTLY.
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